restoration of peace and has extended an invitation to all those who have strayed from the paths of togetherness to come forward for talks within the four corners of our constitution. Besides NSCN(I/M), Government has also declared suspension of operations against the 'Bodo Liberation Tiger'. NSCN(K) has also declared a Cease Fire with security forces. Other militant groups in the North East have, however, not yet responded for talks within the parameters indicated.

(c) Yes, Sir.

Funds to A. P. for Combating Ultra-left Violence

4031. SHRI C. RAMACHANDRAIAH : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Andhra Pradesh Government have sought funds and assistance to combat ultra-left violence in the State ;

(b) whether it is a fact that Government reimburse such expenses ;

(c) what is the amount sought by Andhra Pradesh Government ;

(d) the amount released in the year 1999-2000; and

(e) by when the balance amount would be released ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO) :—(a) to (c) In order to assist States to undertake more effective action, Government has implemented a Scheme for reimbursement of 50% of the Security Related Expenditure incurred by the States in tackling the problem of left wing extremism, covering the period from 1-4-1996 to 31-3-2001. States were requested to send their proposals for reimbursement of the expenditure incurred during the period 1-4-1996 to 31-3-1999, as per approved guidelines of the Scheme. Government of Andhra Pradesh had initially submitted a proposal of Rs. 250.50 crores for reimbursement. However, after scrutiny, the amount was reduced to Rs. 30.63 crores Out of the amount of Rs. 30.63 crores, an amount of Rs. 30.46 crores was found to be in order for reimbursement to the State Government. The enitre amount of Rs. 30.46 crores was released to the Government of Andhra Pradesh in 1999-2000.

Ambassadors visit to Kashmiri Migrants Camps

4032. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA :Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to State :

(a) whether Government are aware that the ambassadors of portugal, France, Germany and Finland have visited camps of Kashmiri migrants ;

(b) whether they have visited their camps with Government permission and knowledge;

(c) whether they are authorised to visit these camps and also advised Government in this connection;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) what action Government have taken in this regard on their recommendations ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO) : (a) Yes, Sir As per information made available by the Government of J&K, the delegation visited Mishriwalla camp on 11.11.1999 accompanied by the officers of the State Government. The Government was informed in advance by the EU Extended Troika Heads of Mission regarding their visit to Jammu and Kashmir.

(b) to (e) No permission from Government is required for such a visit. The Heads of Mission on their return briefed the Government about their visit. The delegation however has not made any recommendation to the Government.

Politicians in Jain Hawala Pay off Case

4033. SHRI GAYA SINGH : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) has referred a list of "Politicians" believed to be connected with the Jain Hawala pay offs case to the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) for further probe into allegations of accumulation of black money ; and

(b) if so, the details and action taken thereon by CBI ?